REQUEST FOR FILING A PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (b)(1)

(Larg Entity)										
DOCKET NUMBER	ANTICIPATED (CLASSIFICATION	PRIOR APPLICATION	ART UNIT						
PROCAPS 002C1	CLASS	SUBCLASS	10/144,786	1615						

Address to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

This is a request for filling a (X) continuation () divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53 (b) (1) of pending prior application, Serial Number 10/144,786 filed on May 15, 2002 entitled:

SOFT SHELL GELATIN CAPSULES CONTAINING NON-STEROIDAL ANTI-INFLAMMATORIES

- 1. Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor-signed prior application, including a copy of the oath of declaration showing the original signature or an indication it was signed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the latest signed prior application, Serial Number 10/144,786 and further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are made punishable by fine or imprisonment or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the Unites States Code and that such willful statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.
 - 2. () Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

		•	CLAIMS AS F	ILED		
For	# Filed	# Allowed	# Extra		Rate	Fee
Total Claims	5	- 20 =	0	x	\$ 9.00	\$ 0.00
Indep.Claims	1	- 3=	0	×	\$ 43.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) ()						\$ 0.00
BASIC FEE						\$ 770.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$ 770.00	

- 3. () The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. ______ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- 4. (X) A check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed.
- 5. (X) Cancel in this application original claims 1-12 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filling purposes.)
- 6. (X) Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
- --This application is a continuation of pending application Serial Number 10/144,786 filed May 15, 2002.--
- 7. () Transfer the drawings from the pending prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application. (May only be used if signed by person authorized by 37 CFR 1.138 and before payment of issue fee).

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- 8. () New formal drawings are enclosed.
- 9. () Priority or foreign application
 - () The certified copy has been filed in .
- 10. () A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- 11. (X) The prior application is assigned of record to:

PROCAPS SA Calle 80 No. 78B-201 Barranquilla, Colombia

- 12. () Also enclosed:
- 13. (X) The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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- a. (X) The power of attorney appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. () Since the power of attorney does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power of attorney in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. (X) Address all future correspondence to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record).

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Dated: February 9, 2004

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